

Los Angeles County Pesticide Enforcement Program Statistics

	2007	2008	2009
Operator identification numbers issued ¹	248	274	269
Restricted material permits issued ¹	516	662	691
Permits denied ¹	0	0	0
Multi-year permits ¹	0	0	0
Total permitted sites ^{1, 2}	920	710	702
Notices of intent (NOIs) reviewed ¹	4,137	4,244	4,763
NOIs assessed (Pre-application site inspections) ¹	23	5	3
NOIs denied ¹	0	0	0
Pounds of pesticide applied (active ingredient) ³	2,518,155	2,742,717	2,349,576
Number of agricultural applications ³	15,069	15,640	15,698
Number of non-agricultural applications ^{3,4}	398,398	384,406	724,463
Number of all inspections ¹	1,697	1,912	1,902
Unclaimed Gas Uax Distribution ^{5,6}	\$985,051	\$500,831	\$538,364
Pesticide Mill Assessment ⁵	\$1,828,681	\$2,069,682	\$2,045,333

Footnotes

¹ Source: Pesticide Regulatory Activities Monthly Report (PRAMR)

² Some counties did not report any permitted sites.

³ Source: Department of Pesticide Regulation Pesticide Use Report Database

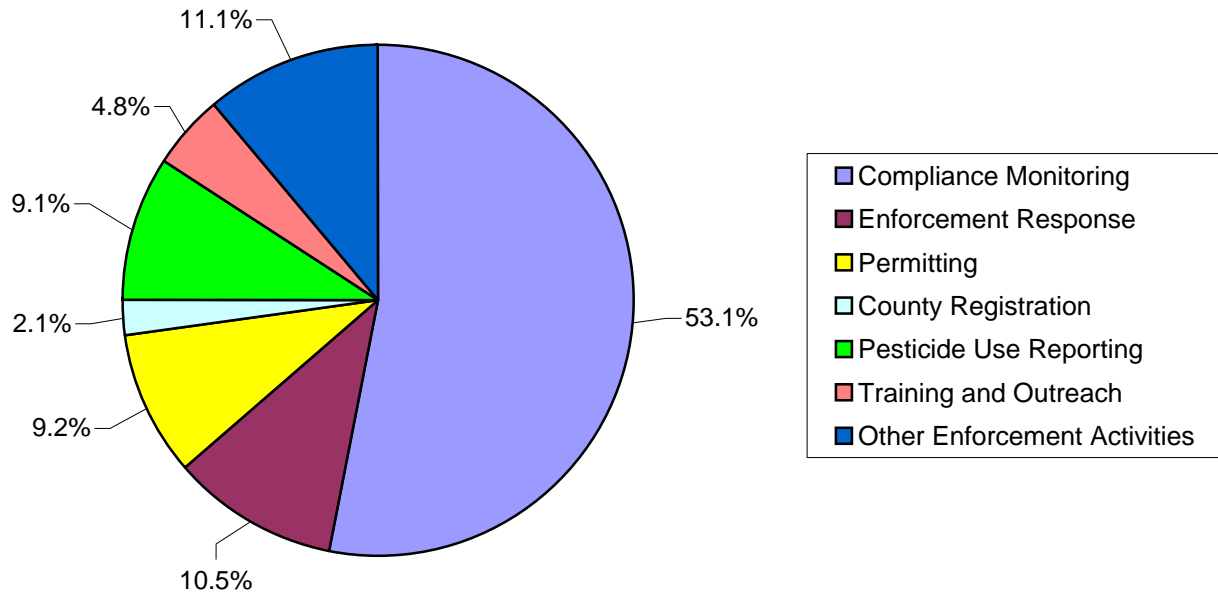
⁴ Analysis of data indicates some problems with reporting and accurately recording these figures.

⁵ Funding is on a fiscal year basis and is based on the prior year's workload.

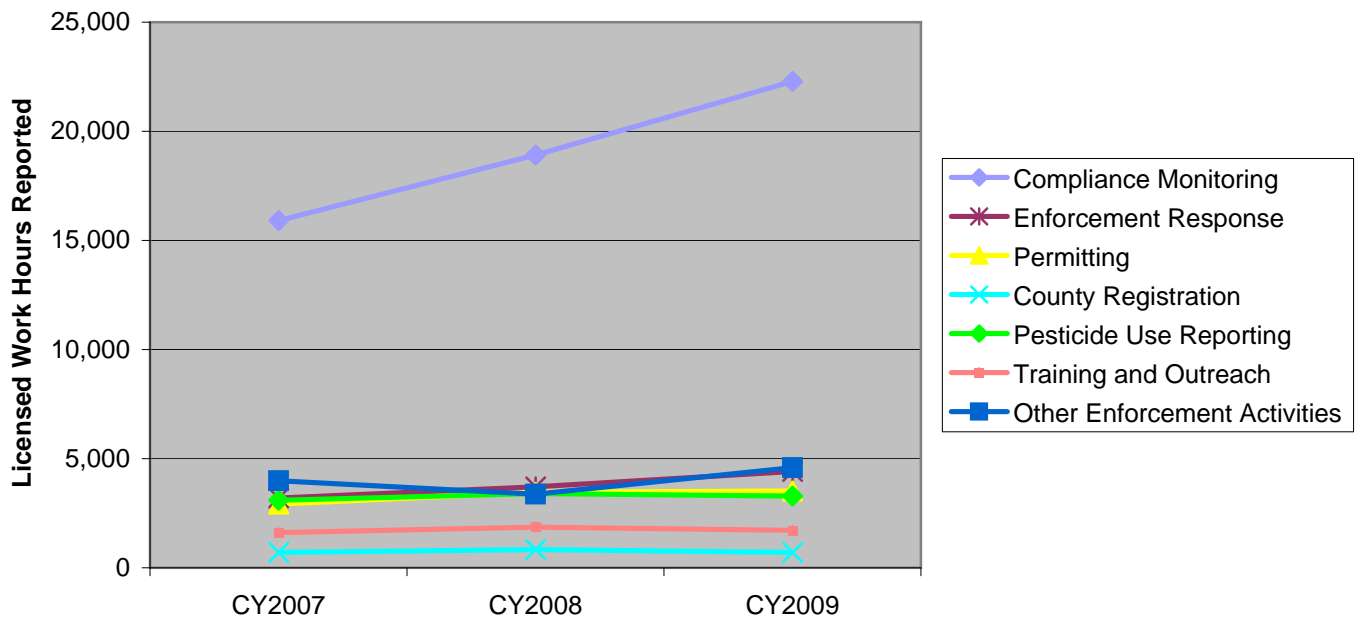
⁶ Funding is on a fiscal year basis. This amount represents 36 percent of the full amount distributed by CDFA for all 10 agricultural programs (FAC 2282) and pesticide use enforcement. The 36 percent represents the typical amount dedicated to pesticide use enforcement.

Los Angeles County Pesticide Regulatory Activities Monthly Report Calendar Year Summary

**Percentage of Licensed Work Hours Reported By Category
During Calendar Years 2007, 2008, and 2009**



**Number of Licensed Work Hours Reported By Category
For Calendar Years 2007, 2008, and 2009**



Los Angeles County Inspection Compliance

Inspection Type	Calendar Year 2007							Calendar Year 2008							Calendar Year 2009						
		Criteria Compliance							Criteria Compliance							Criteria Compliance					
	Number of Inspections	Items That Did Comply	Items That Did Not Comply	Total Items	Rate	Inspections With a Violation	Inspections with 100% Compliance	Number of Inspections	Items That Did Comply	Items That Did Not Comply	Total Items	Rate	Inspections With a Violation	Inspections with 100% Compliance	Number of Inspections	Items That Did Comply	Items That Did Not Comply	Total Items	Rate	Inspections With a Violation	Inspections with 100% Compliance
Agricultural																					
Field Worker Safety	31	134		134	100.0%		100.0%	33	139		139	100.0%		100.0%	20	88		88	100.0%		100.0%
Pesticide Use - Application	141	2,230	32	2,262	98.6%	14	90.1%	156	2,420	40	2,460	98.4%	15	90.4%	127	1,971	20	1,991	99.0%	10	92.1%
Pesticide Use - Mix Load	43	682	2	684	99.7%	2	95.3%	54	892	3	895	99.7%	2	96.3%	17	310		310	100.0%		100.0%
Commodity Fumigation	22	457	2	459	99.6%	1	95.5%	20	452		452	100.0%		100.0%	14	335	2	337	99.4%	1	92.9%
Field Fumigation	11	292	1	293	99.7%	1	90.9%	11	260		260	100.0%		100.0%	6	152		152	100.0%		100.0%
Records	603	7,354	8	7,362	99.9%	6	99.0%	578	7,012	9	7,021	99.9%	8	98.6%	560	7,037	22	7,059	99.7%	11	98.0%
Totals:	851	11,149	45	11,194	99.6%	24	97.2%	852	11,175	52	11,227	99.5%	25	97.1%	744	9,893	44	9,937	99.6%	22	97.0%
Structural																					
Fumigation	652	19,926	36	19,962	99.8%	23	96.5%	649	19,578	35	19,613	99.8%	24	96.3%	693	21,647	38	21,685	99.8%	33	95.2%
Non-Fumigation Application	89	1,802	8	1,810	99.6%	5	94.4%	80	1,617	16	1,633	99.0%	10	87.5%	75	1,529	6	1,535	99.6%	5	93.3%
Non-Fumigation Mix Load	11	218		218	100.0%		100.0%	11	215	1	216	99.5%	1	90.9%	9	182	3	185	98.4%	1	88.9%
Records	414	4,063	45	4,108	98.9%	25	94.0%	349	3,209	33	3,242	99.0%	22	93.7%	398	3,643	20	3,663	99.5%	15	96.2%
Totals:	1166	26,009	89	26,098	99.7%	53	95.5%	1089	24,619	85	24,704	99.7%	57	94.8%	1175	27,001	67	27,068	99.8%	54	95.4%
Overall Totals:	2,017	37,158	134	37,292	99.6%	77	96.2%	1,941	35,794	137	35,931	99.6%	82	95.8%	1,919	36,894	111	37,005	99.7%	76	96.0%

Los Angeles County Closed Compliance Actions and Closed Enforcement Actions

	2007		2008		2009	
	Hours	Numbers	Hours	Numbers	Hours	Numbers
VIII. Compliance Actions						
A. Warning Letters / Violation Notices		163		174		204
B. Cease and Desist Orders		0		1		0
C. Documented Compliance Interviews		0		0		0
Total:	1,320	163	1,708	175	2,182	204
IX. Enforcement Actions						
A. Administrative Action:						
1. Restricted Materials Permit		0		0		0
2. Private Applicator Certifications		0		0		0
3. County Registrations		0		0		0
4. Structural Civil Penalties		64		81		82
5. Agricultural Civil Penalties		29		36		33
B. Judicial Actions:						
1. Notice to Appear (Citations)		0		0		0
2. Cases Submitted to DA		0		0		0
3. Civil Complaints Filed		0		0		0
4. Criminal Complaints Filed		0		0		0
C. Referrals to DPR		0		0		0
Total:	1,878	93	1,996	117	2,231	115

Note: Compliance and Enforcement actions are not necessarily taken in the same calendar year when the violation occurs. Additionally, some actions may be due to discovery of violations by means other than inspections such as through investigations.

Most Common Agricultural Violations

Agricultural Elements Evaluated	Number of Violations			
	2007	2008	2009	Total
Personal Protective Equipment	4	8	8	20
Handler Training	4	8	6	18
Labeling - Permit Condition	4	7	6	17
Service Container Labeling	3	4	3	10
Pest Control Business/Equipment Registered	4	6	0	10
Availability of Labeling	2	5	2	9
Pesticide Use Reports Submitted	3	5	1	9
Container Requirements	2	0	4	6
Posting of Storage Areas	1	1	3	5
Emergency Medical Care/Handler	3	2	0	5
Backflow Prevention	2	2	0	4
Notice of Intent Submitted	2	1	0	3
Hazard Communication-Fieldworkers	0	0	3	3
Container Control	1	1	0	2

Most Common Structural Violations

Structural Elements Evaluated	Number of Violations			
	2007	2008	2009	Total
Labeling - Permit Condition	14	12	16	42
Personal Protective Equipment	9	5	8	22
Service Container Labeling	6	11	4	21
Handler Training	4	9	5	18
General Fumigation Safe-Use Requirement	6	6	4	16
General Standards of Care	6	7	2	15
Pesticide Use Reports	7	2	2	11
Written Notice to Occupant	2	5	4	11
Standards and Record Requirement	1	9	1	11
Hazard Communication for Handlers	5	3	1	9
Pesticide Disclosure	1	2	4	7
Annual Notification Submitted	3	4	0	7
Container Requirements	3	0	3	6
Containers Properly Rinsed	3	0	3	6